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<b>TRANSMITTAL LETTER</b> <b>(General - Patent Pending)</b>		Docket No. 990372	
In Re Application Of: LAUPER, Fritz			
JUN 05 2002			
Serial No. 09/446,538	Filing Date 27 December 1999	Examiner McHenry, K.	Group Art Unit 1726
Title: Method and Device for Controlling the Movement of a Teeming Ladle			

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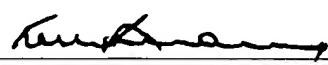


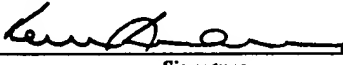
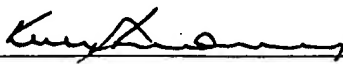
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Applicant(s): LAUPER, Fritz		JUN 05 2002			
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Invention: Method and Device for Controlling the Movement of a Teeming Ladle					
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